# Primary Post 

## Whittlesea Primary School

Issue 12-6th May 2022

## PRINCIPAL TEAM REPORT

Hello everyone,
This week our regular timetable was adapted to allow teams of teachers to meet and plan uninterrupted for a day. This privileged time gives our educators the opportunity to develop units of work, analyse group data, plan assessments and consider how they will meet the needs of all students throughout the upcoming term.

This week we also welcomed back four past students, Caitlin, Ruby, Mathew and Cooper who are currently completing Year 10 at Whittlesea Secondary College. They have been supporting across various year levels throughout the week while completing work experience.

Earlier this year, school council endorsed a Cadbury Freddo and Friends fundraiser for Term 2. This year, the money raised will go towards the purchase of two new flag poles, to be installed alongside our existing flagpole. The new flagpoles will fly the Australian, Aboriginal flag and the Torres Strait Islander flag. We are aiming to have this project completed by the end of Term 2.

We aim to raise $\$ 6,500$ from this fundraising even. We are asking every family to sell at least one box of Cadbury Freddo \& Friends or a Natural Confectionary Lolly box. From every box of Cadbury Freddo \& Friends sold our school receives $\$ 21$ ( $\$ 25$ for Natural Confectionary Company).

Tips for selling your treats

- Chocolate box items sold as 2 for $\$ 1.00$ (120 items in total)
- Lolly Box bags sold for $\$ 3.00$ per bag (20 bags in total)
- Sell to family members, colleagues, friends or neighbours
- We don't recommend that the students sell the products - if they are involved, please ensure an adult is always with them.

Here is the timeline for our chocolate fundraiser:
OPT OUT BY: THURSDAY 12th MAY (please call the office) GOING HOME ON: FRIDAY 20th MAY (with the eldest child)
MONEY (and unsold chocolates) DUE NO LATER THAN: FRIDAY 10TH JUNE PAYMENT OPTIONS: COMPASS (in Events), PHONE, OFFICE via EFTPOS or CASH

Please return all CASH money raised in the envelope provided. Ensure it is clearly labelled with your child's name, class and teacher.

## CALENDAR

| May 10-13 | NAPLAN <br> Year 3 \& 5 |
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| May 16 | Whole school <br> Assembly |
| May 18 | District Cross <br> Country |
| May 19 | Forensic <br> Science <br> Incursion <br> Year 5/6 |

HAPPY BIRTHDAY
Wishing the following children a very
Happy Birthday!
30 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ April
Kaylee 00G
$1^{\text {st }}$ May
Marlee 5/6G

$2^{\text {nd }}$ May
Hunter 1/2E
3rd May
April 3/4C
Lola 5/6T
$4^{\text {th }}$ May
Beau 1/2B
Maya 1/2P
Sehaj 3/4M

## $5^{\text {th }}$ May

Archie 5/6P
$6^{\text {th }}$ May
Hudson 1/2JA
Ace 3/4W

If you would prefer a lolly box instead of a chocolate box or you would like to sell additional boxes, please let the office know by Thursday 12th May.

Today, we farewell our Foundation teacher, Amy Perry. Amy has worked at our school for the past 6 years and made valuable contributions our Early Years program and more broadly across our school community as a DET school council representative and PLC leader. We wish Amy all the best as she transitions to a Learning Specialist role at Gaayip-Yagila in Mickelham.

Until next week,
Ty Hoggins \& Rae Gittos
Principal Team

## WANTED

Foundation are looking for a donation of tadpoles. We are starting a biology unit soon and would love to see a life cycle in action! If you have some in a dam at home that you can catch and donate, please let us know for our inquiry unit beginning on the $23^{\text {rd }}$ May.

Thank you!!

## CAMP PAYMENT PLAN INSALMENTS

## 2022 Camp Instalment Dates

Year 3/ 4 Camp<br>Payment 1: $\$ 73.60$ 25th March<br>Payment 2: $\$ 78.20$ 29th April<br>Payment 3: \$73.60 27th May<br>Payment 4: \$78.20 24th June<br>Payment 5: \$78.20 22nd July<br>Payment 6: \$78.20 19th August

## Year 5/6 Camp

Payment 1: $\$ 71.88$ 25th March
Payment 2: $\$ 77.87$ 15th April
Payment 3: \$71.88 13th May
Payment 4: \$77.87 10th June Payment 5: $\$ 71.88$ 8th July Payment 6: $\$ 77.87$ 5th August Payment 7: \$71.88 2nd Sep Payment 8: \$77.87 30th Sept

## Star of the Week

| Foundation P <br> Perry | Awarded to: Mackenzie Birthisel <br> For: Increasing her letter and sound knowledge |
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| Foundation M <br> Merritt | Awarded to: Thomas Doherty <br> For: increasing the number of letters and sounds he knows. Superstar! |
| Foundation G <br> Gordan | Awarded to: Audrey Gillan <br> For: increasing her knowledge of letters and their sounds. Great work! |
| Year 1/2JA |  |
| Fontana/Kaur | Awarded to: Taj Martin <br> For: describing, continuing and creating number patterns resulting from <br> performing addition and subtraction. |
| Year 1/2P | Awarded to: Kory Morrell <br> For: identifying nouns and verbs in her learning and revising her <br> sentences to include adjectives and adverbs. |
| Year 1/2M | Awarded to: Summer Mortimer <br> For: being a friendly and supporting classmate to her peers, helping <br> others when possible. |
| Year 1/2E | Awarded to: Miley Walker <br> For: continuously having an amazing attitude towards her learning and <br> growing her letter and sound knowledge. |
| Barker | Awarded to: Heidi Villani <br> For: excellent use of adverbs and adjectives in her writing. |
| Year 1/2B | Awarded to: Ben Fitzgerald <br> Burgess |
| For: working hard on adding more detail into his paragraphs for his |  |
| persuasive writing. |  |

## COMMUNITY NEWS



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